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**NURSERY
STOCK and
EQUIPMENT**

Catalog

**WILSON & SONS
NURSERY CO.**

WINNSBORO, TEXAS

OUR BEST CROP...GOOD WILL

WE are lowering our prices from last season, in observance of our 20th year in business. We know of no better way to express our appreciation for the splendid patronage of our customers.

For 20 years, while we have grown to be one of the South's leading nurseries, we have been building confidence. A good name is a perennial. It grows slowly, but it is worth all the effort that goes into it. Our reputation for service and fair dealing is a possession which we shall continue to cultivate.

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The following list of Rosebushes will be available in two-year field grown stock. These are for season Fall 1947 and Spring 1948 delivery.

Bush Roses

| | | | |
|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Ami Quinard | Editor McFarland | Luxembourg | Red Radiance |
| Betty Uprichard | F. S. Key | McGredy's Scarlet | Red Druschki |
| Betty Grace Clark | Frau Karl Druschki | Pink Radiance | Sunburst |
| Briarcliff | Golden Ophelia | Pink Columbia | Sensation |
| Chas. K. Douglas | Golden Dawn | Paul Neyron | Souer Therese |
| Caledonia | J. J. L. Mock | Pres. Hoover | Senior |
| Etoile de Hollande | K. A. Victoria | Rouge Mallerin | Talisman |
| E. N. Perkins | Night | Red American Beauty | White American Beauty |
| E. G. Hill | Lady Hillington | | |

Polyanthas

| | | | |
|---------------|---------------|-------|-----------------|
| Dainty Bess | Golden Salmon | Ideal | Kirsten Poulsen |
| Elsie Poulsen | Geo. Elger | | |

Climbers

| | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Cl. Caledonia | Cl. Pauls Scarlet | Cl. Pink Radiance | Cl. Talisman |
| Cl. Etoile de Hollande | Cl. Briarcliff | Cl. Red Radiance | Cl. Mermaid |
| Cl. Dr. Van Fleet | Cl. Sunburst | Cl. Red Am. Beauty | Cl. Marechal Neil |

NEW LOW PRICES: DELIVERY PREPAID WITHIN 1,200 MILES

| | 100 | 1,000 | 3,000 | 5,000 | Carload or more | | 1,000 | 3,000 | 10,000 | Carload lots or more |
|-------------------------|--------|-------------|---------|---------|--------------------|-----------------------|---------|---------|-------------|-------------------------|
| No. 1..... | 35 ea. | .32 1/2 ea. | .32 ea. | .31 ea. | .30 ea. | | .25 ea. | .24 ea. | .22 1/2 ea. | .21 ea. |
| No. 1 1/2..... | 29 ea. | .26 ea. | .25 ea. | .24 ea. | .23 ea. | | | | | |
| 250 bushes @ 1,000 rate | | | | | | ROW RUN PRICES | | | | |
| | | | | | | PLACE YOUR ORDERS NOW | | | | |

Terms: Cash with orders or one-fourth with orders and balance C.O.D.

Take Advantage of These Additional Services by Wilson & Sons this Year

1. Individually wrapped (par-affined if desired) rosebushes and shrubs. We also do other custom packaging and wrapping.
2. We make drop shipments. Have us pack and ship your customer orders direct from our nursery rows and packing sheds—using your own shipping tags.
3. Possibly we are not growing some of the rosebushes, or other stock you need—ask us about our budding and growing contract plan.

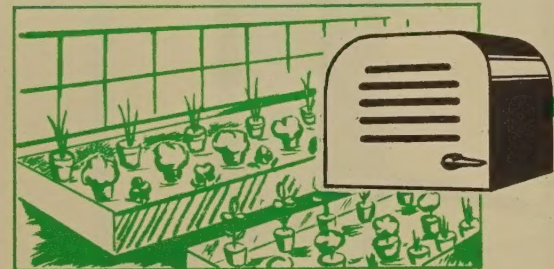
BE EVERYWHERE AT ONCE

with the Electronic Voice

In the seed department.



In the field. (Give digging orders from your desk.)



In the greenhouse.



In the shipping room.



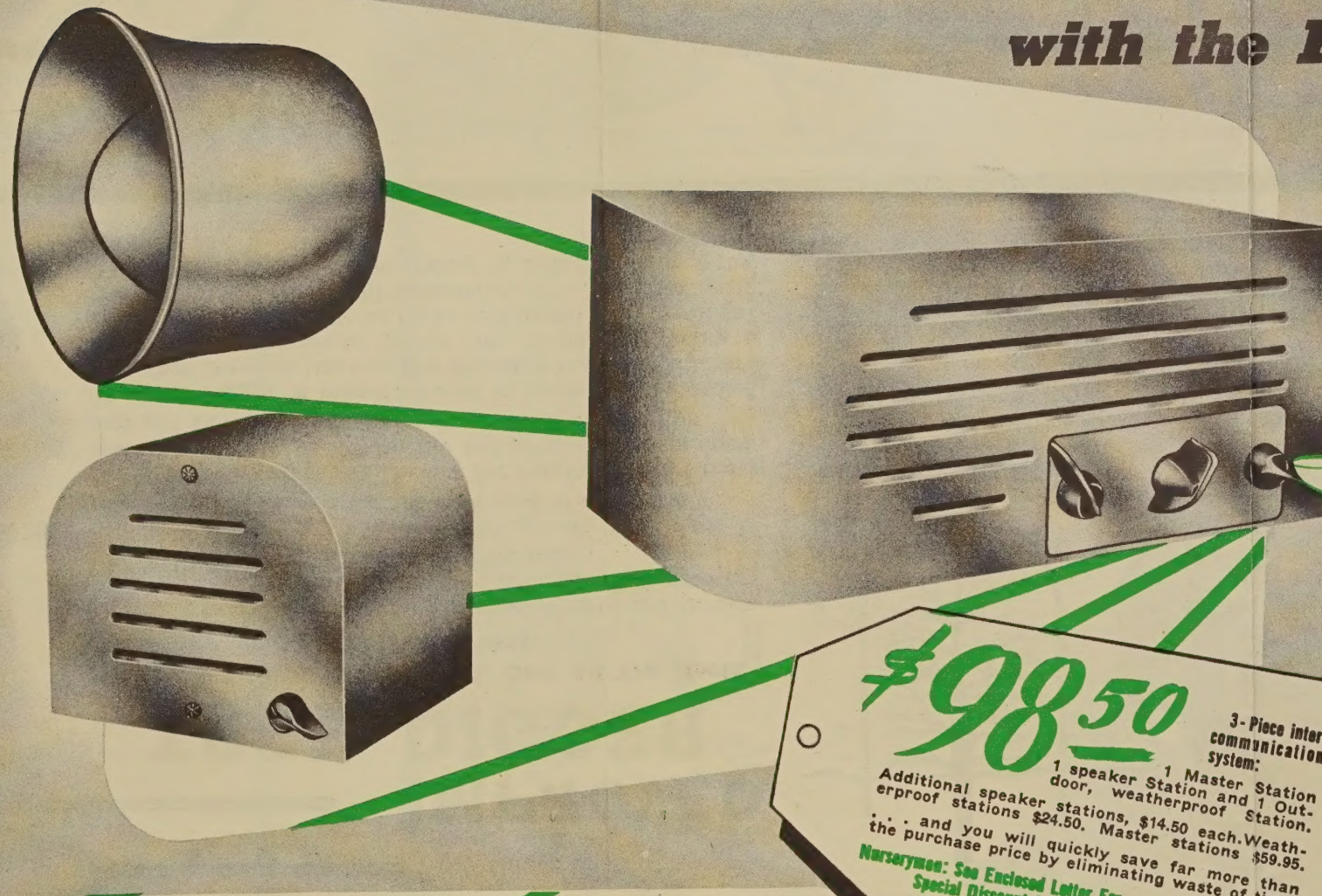
In the garage.



In the sales yard.



In the design room.



SAVE TIME SAVE MONEY

Save steps—your steps and the steps of the men you employ. Be in immediate touch with every part of your plant, at the flip of a little switch. With the Electronic Voice you can speak to any employee, AND HE MAY REPLY WITHOUT EVEN LEAVING THE SPOT WHERE HE IS AT WORK! This amazing efficient instrument is so tuned that the "substation" may pick up the employee's voice from distances of up to 100 feet! (Operates on 110 volts AC.)

So simple and easy to install that a 14 year old boy can do the job.

Count the Steps You Will Save in One Season with THE ELECTRONIC VOICE

Nursery Equipment by WILSON...

Here it is! Labor saving equipment for which the nursery industry has been waiting. These implements enable you to grow and sell more high-class stock at a lower cost per plant. This means greater profit for every nurseryman and florist who grows fruit trees, shade trees, shrubs, bulbs, evergreens, rosebushes or ornamentals.



IMPROVED TREE DIGGER

Easy To Adjust, Easy To Pull, Gets All The Roots With Every Plant.

Here is a practical digger for all types of trees and shrubs. Many growers use it also for root pruning. Bulb growers find it highly successful for digging bulbs.

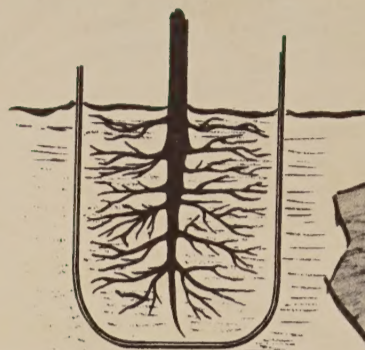
The tree digger is solid steel throughout. The blade is machined and shaped for greatest ease of operation.

It can be adjusted to run shallow for digging shallow roots and vines; it can be set quickly and simply to go on down and get those deep (tap) rooting trees and shrubs.

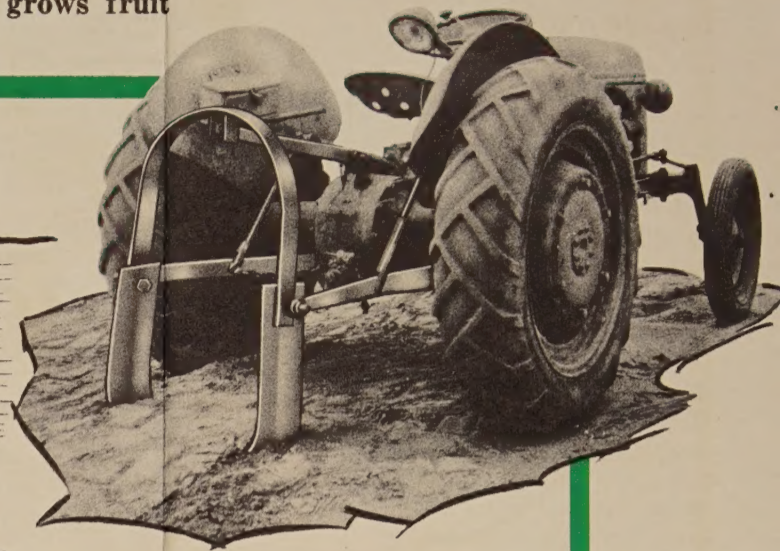
The tree digger is manufactured in models to be pulled by either horse or tractor. The digger is made for tractors either with or without power lift. If you are using a tractor, be sure to give us make and model so you will get the digger with the right dimensions etc., for quick, easy installation hookup. (The digger is not made for 2-row tractors.)

TREE DIGGER
\$57.50

(The model illustrated above is for all one row tractors not using power lifts. Also horse drawn. Other models for power lift tractors. All at same price.)



THIS drawing shows the simple principle of the sensational tree digger. The U-shaped cutting blade, 22 in. across, glides under the roots. Welded to its rear edge is a tilted "apron" which lifts and loosens the soil so the plants can be lifted out easily. (See illustration at left.)



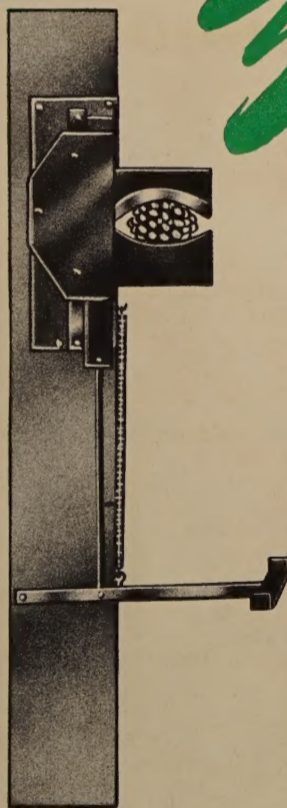
THE DIGGER AT WORK

The above photograph shows a power lift model in action. Note how deeply it cuts without effort!

MULTIPLY OUTPUT PER MAN...

3 fold!

WITH THE HARDWOOD CUTTING MACHINE

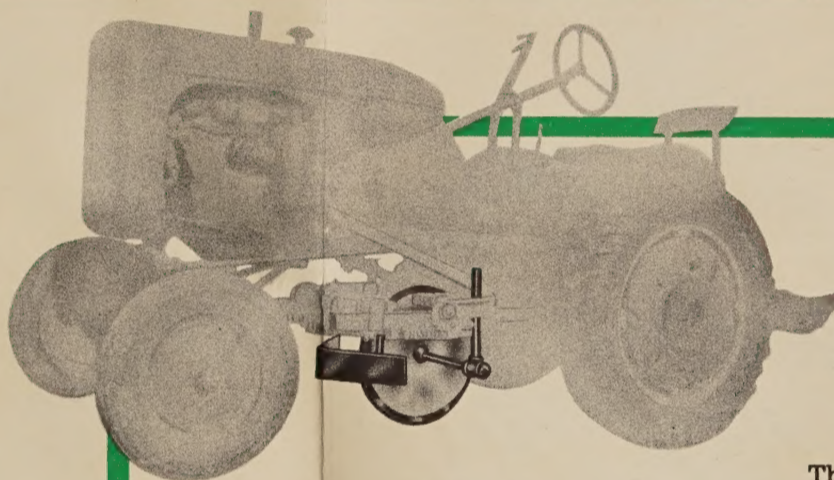


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HARDWOOD CUTTING MACHINE

\$23.25

Three men can do twice the work of five with this simple, yet highly efficient machine. You can eliminate two men yet double production—three can turn out 150,000 cuttings a day! The instrument is solid steel throughout. It is equipped with two cutting blades. The wood is placed between them, and the top blade is brought down by pressure of the operator's foot on the pedal, while both his hands are free to handle the cuttings. The top blade is drawn back to starting place by a spring.



PLANTER

A Revolutionary Machine That Cuts Planting Time In Half.

This startlingly new equipment not only cuts costs of planting—it insures uniformity. You get straight rows of even depth (adjusted to suit your needs) so that plants are left in good shape and easy to cultivate.

The planting equipment is solid steel. It is actually two implements in one. A V-shaped forward piece levels the bed row to a smooth, flat surface. A sharp 20 inch disc roller slits a straight, narrow trench for your nursery stock. Both forward piece and cutting disc are adjustable to any height. Thus your planting trench may be cut to any desired depth.

The equipment may be either horse or tractor drawn. Two sets may be installed on one 2-row tractor.

THE photograph above shows how the planter is attached to your tractor cultivator. All you need to do is remove the cultivator feet and insert the shanks of the planting equipment.

The principle of operation is shown in the drawing below. Note the V-shaped piece which levels the row bed. Contrast the rough surface ahead of the implement with the smooth, flat surface after the V has passed over it. The 20 inch sharp steel disc cuts a straight even slot for planting. It may be adjusted to any depth desired.

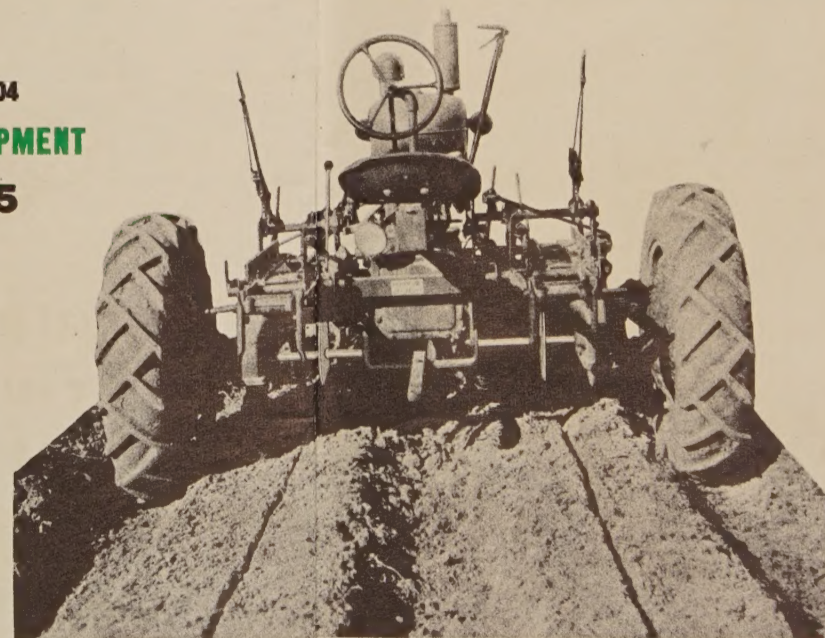
The photograph at lower right shows 2-row planting equipment in action.



Item No. 304

PLANTING EQUIPMENT

\$28.75



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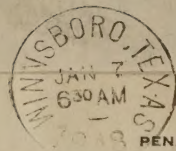
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